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Summary of Proposed Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) Policy Amendments and Statement of Reasons

Page Section Item Description of Change Reason (Redline Version) 1 **Table of Contents Table of Contents** Updated to match Policy Replaced Section E Financial Hardship and Loan Improves credit evaluation process 2 **List of Appendices Appendices** Affordability Criteria with Credit/Financial Guidelines to handle variety of applicants PRF Resolution replaced by closing 3 **List of Appendices Appendices** Removed Appendix G Sample PRF Resolutions resolution Replaced Appendix I DBE Compliance Guidelines with Final Budget Approval Form, Submittal Instructions, 4 **List of Appendices Appendices** Match CWSRF and DBE Compliance Guidelines 5 **List of Appendices Appendices** Added New Appendix M Marketing Plan Match CWSRF Added New Appendix N Post-Issuance Tax 6 List of Appendices **Appendices** Match CWSRF Compliance Policy for Tax-Exempt Bond Issues Provides guidance regarding State Added New Appendix O State and Federal Cross-7 List of Appendices **Appendices** and Federal Cross-Cutting **Cutting Requirements** Requirements Added New Appendix P State Environmental Review Provides guidance regarding State 8 **List of Appendices Appendices Environmental Review Process Process** To make the legal consultation 9 List of Appendices **Appendices** Added New Appendix Q Legal Opinion Templates process more transparent Replaced the link where appendices are located with List of Appendices 10 **Appendices** To ensure accurate working link the correct link List of Acronyms and List of Acronyms Text amended for clarity 11 Added a list of acronyms and abbreviations and Abbreviations **Abbreviations** Text relocated for clarity and 12 1 General text changes (insertions and deletions) Introduction updated Policy effective date To clarify DWSRF Program's Climate Change 13 2 Added Climate Change section purpose

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14	2-8	Definitions	New definitions added: Allowances (Soft Costs), Authorized Representative, Eligible Start Date, Existing Debt, Expanded Small Community Water System, Non-Community Water System, Non-Profit, Non-Repayable Financing, State Small Water System, and Waterworks Standards	Definitions added for clarity
15	2-8	Definitions	Amended definitions of: Acceptable Result, Applicant, Completion of Construction, Eligible Project Cost, Environmental Document, Ground Water Under the Direct Influence, Intended Use Plan, Median Household Income, Operating Agreement, Pledged Revenue and Funds, Project, Recipient, and Useful Life	Terms amended for clarity
16	2-8	Definitions	Deleted definitions of: <i>Drinking Water Grant, Not-For- Profit Water Company, Regional Project, and Restructured Water System</i>	Policy no longer uses these terms
17	8-15	Program Management	General text changes (insertions, relocations, and deletions)	Text amended for clarity; authority for the Executive Director, establishment of administrative service charge and small community emergency grant charge
18	13-14	Program Management	Fundable List and Project Bypass added as sections C and D	Expands upon purpose and use of Fundable List and Bypass process
19	16	Match Financing	A subsection was added title "Match Contribution"	Text added for clarification

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20	16-17	Assistance for Disadvantaged and Severely Disadvantaged Communities	General text changes (insertions and deletions)	Merged DAC and SDAC sections; text amended for clarification
21	17	Water Rate Studies	General text changes (insertions and deletions)	Text amended for clarity; *Revised language per public comment.
22	18-19	Planning/Design Financing (subsection X.A.2 Technical Package)	General text changes (insertions and deletions)	Text amended for clarity
23	19-20	Planning/Design Financing (subsection X.A.3 Environmental Package)	Refers to new Appendix O State Environmental Review Process to fulfill environmental review	Provides detailed and transparent explanation of CEQA review process
24	20-26	Planning/Design Financing (subsection X.A.4 Financial Package)	General text changes (insertions and deletions)	General clarification plus Added Appendix E Credit/Financial Guidelines; removed restricted reserve; updated coverage requirements; added debt management policy; *Revised language per public comment.
25	26-27	Planning/Design Financing (subsection X.B Eligible Planning/Design Costs)	Updated eligibile and ineligible costs lists	Updated for additional eligibility clarification
26	27-28	Planning/Design Financing (subsection X.C Planning/Design Financing Terms)	General text changes (insertions and deletions)	Allows option for 10-year or 5- year loan repayment plus general text changes for clarity

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27	29-30	Construction Financing (subsection XI.A.2 Technical Package)	General text changes (insertions and deletions)	Added clarification on water rights requirement
28	30-32	Construction Financing (subsection XI.A.3 Environmental Package)	Abbreviated text and now refers to new Appendix O State Environmental Review Process to fulfill environmental review	Provides detailed and transparent explanation of CEQA review process
29	32-39	Construction Financing (subsection XI.A.4 Financial Security Package)	General text changes (insertions and deletions)	General clarification plus Added Appendix E Credit/Financial Guidelines; revised restricted reserve; updated coverage requirements; added debt management policy; added tax questionnaire and reimbursement resolution requirement; *Revised language per public comment.
30	39-42	Construction Financing (subsection XI.B Eligible Construction Costs)	General text changes (insertions and deletions)	Added private laterals to eligible items and irrigation facilities to ineligible; plus additional clarification on the Eligible Start Date
31	42-43	Construction Financing (subsection XI.C Construction Financing Terms)	General text changes (insertions and deletions)	Change terms to allow for 30-year terms. Allow up to 40-year terms and first amortized repayment due up to 18 months for eligible DAC/SDAC Systems.

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32	44	Financing Agreements (subsection XII.A Financing Approval)	General text changes (insertions and deletions)	Added: legal opinion requirement; clarification on construction timing; loan closing resolution requirement
33	44-45	Financing Agreements (subsection XII.B Execution of the Financing Agreement)	General text changes (insertions and deletions)	Text amended for clarity; added references to new Appendix O State and Federal Cross-Cutting Requirements
34	46	Financing Agreements (subsection XII.C Financing Agreement Amendments)	General text changes (insertions and deletions)	Text amended for clarity
35	46-47	Disbursements	General text changes (insertions and deletions)	Text amended for clarity
36	47-48	Construction	General text changes (insertions and deletions)	Text amended for clarity
37	48	Project Completion Report	General text changes (insertions and deletions)	Text amended for clarity
38	48-50	Record Keeping Requirements & Financing Payments	Order of Sections Switched	Match CWSRF
39	49-50	Financing Payments	General text changes (insertions and deletions)	Change loan repayment from semi- annual to annual, remove specific address to send payments to
40	50	Financing Payments	Added Prepayments and Loan Compliance and Monitoring Sections	Limits loan prepayment to require consent; adds loan compliance/monitoring requirements
41	51	Disputes	Add clarifications for the Deputy Director to resolve inconsistencies between versions of the Policy	To address inconsistencies, if any, between the original Policy and this Amendment